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ICC to hear recommendations regarding deregulation in Illinois

The Illinois Commerce Commission's Electric Policy Committee will meet at 10 a.m. Friday, Oct. 15 in Chicago to hear the following presentations from the Post 2006 Initiative workshops:

<u>Working Group</u>	<u>Presenter</u>	<u>Title/Affiliation</u>
Procurement	Dave Vite	President/CEO, IL Retail Merchants Assoc.
Rates	Glenn Rippie	Partner, Foley & Lardner LLP
Competition	Phil O'Connor	President, NewEnergy Midwest
Utility Service Obligations	Katie Papadimitriou	Reg. Affairs Manager, NewEnergy Midwest
Energy Assistance	Jon Carls	Director, Regulatory Service Ameren

Launched in February, the ICC's Post 2006 Initiative is a focused effort involving interested stakeholders—including electric utilities, consumer advocates, independent power producers, energy marketers and others—in a series of meetings and workshops to examine the future of the state's electric market and identify public policy issues surrounding deregulation of the electric industry in Illinois.

The Post 2006 Initiative is designed to explore solutions to market structure challenges, and determine what regulatory or legislative changes may be needed to address the new marketplace in Illinois.

The meeting will be held in the ICC's main hearing room, on the eighth floor of the State of Illinois Building, 160 N. LaSalle Street, Chicago.

All Post 2006 reports will be released following the meeting and will be available on the ICC website at www.icc.state.il.us.

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